

RELAY GIVES TIGERS
INDOOR MEET AGAIN

Last Event Turns Apparent
Defeat Into Victory—
Wyatt Gets Lead.

TWO RECORDS BREAK

Pole-Vault and Mile Suffer—
Niedorp and Simpson
Show Up Well.

Missouri won again. With the points 41 to 39 against them at the beginning of the relay, the Tiger track team men took that event handily and closed the twelfth annual indoor track meet with the University of Kansas at Convention Hall in Kansas City Friday night with a lead of three points. The final score was 44 to 41.

Murphy, Wyatt, Eaton and Niedorp ran the relay, which was the thrilling race. Wyatt, who ran third, for the Tigers, overcame a lead and enabled Niedorp to come out at the end 50 yards ahead of Creighton, of Kansas. When Wyatt took the track he started about five yards behind Ainsworth, but at the end he gave a lead of a third of a lap to the Tigers.

Simpson scored fifteen points for Missouri, winning the high and low hurdles and the 50-yard dash. He made the low hurdles in 6 seconds flat, equalling the record.

Floyd broke the dual meet record in the pole vault, setting the mark at 11 feet 11 inches. He made another effort, but knocked the bar down with his arms when it was set at 12 feet.

Herriott, of Kansas, reduced the former record in the mile run from 4:33 to 4:31 4-5. Herriott finished about a foot ahead of Captain Edwards of Kansas.

Kansas made a clean sweep in the middle distance events, taking first and second places in the mile, the 2-mile and the 880-yard runs. Poos and Grady ran even in the 2-mile, ending the race in 10:01 4-5. V. Kline finished a foot behind the K. U. men, having started his final sprint too late.

Chapman dropped out of the mile after the first lap, leaving Captain Murphy to get it alone. Murphy passed Herriott on the tenth lap, but could not hold the lead. Edwards passed him in the last turn of the final lap. Captain Murphy did not enter the half mile.

Niedorp's defeat of Rodkey was the most surprising event of the meet. Rodkey practically had been conceded this race. Niedorp ran in the lead all the way and finished about five feet ahead.

In the invitation events, Hutsell won the 440-yard run over Gary of Kansas in 55 flat. Kansas won the alumni relay race. Branham, Tidd, Wyatt and Shannon Douglas ran for Missouri.

The summary:
50-yard dash—Won by Simpson, Missouri; Niedorp, Missouri, second. Time, 5.25.
One-mile run—Won by Herriott, Kansas; Edwards, Kansas, second. Time, 4:31 4-5.
2-mile run—Won by Poos, Missouri; Tidd, Missouri, second. Time, 10:01 4-5.
880-yard run—Won by Edwards, Kansas; Creighton, Kansas, second. Time, 2:35 3-4.
50-yard low hurdles—Won by Simpson, Missouri; Tidd, Missouri, second. Time, 5:05 3-4.
440-yard run—Won by Niedorp, Missouri; Rodkey, Kansas, second. Time, 2:06 3-4.
880-yard run—Won by Edwards, Kansas; Creighton, Kansas, second. Time, 2:35 3-4.
50-yard high hurdles—Won by Simpson, Missouri; Heath, Kansas second. Time, 3:46.
Two-mile run—Won by Kansas, a dead heat between Poos and Grady. Time, 10:01 4-5.
Relay, one mile—Kansas, Rodkey, Edwards, Ainsworth, Creighton. Won by Missouri. Time, 3:35.
High jump—Won by Baker, Missouri; McKay, Kansas, second. Height, 5 feet 10 inches.
16-pound shotput—Won by Reber, Kansas; Klotz, Kansas, second. Distance, 39 feet 10 inches.
Pole vault—Won by Floyd, Missouri; Powell, Missouri, second. Height, 11 feet 11 inches.

MISSIONARY IN SCHOOL HERE

J. W. Creighton Tells Student Volunteer Band of His Work in China.

The need for better schools and leaders with a true spirit of religion in China was emphasized by J. W. Creighton in his lecture on China at the meeting of the Student Volunteer Band at Lowry Hall Thursday night. He said that there are now more than 240,000 Christian Chinese, but that this number is insignificant considering the vast population of the country.

Mr. Creighton is a student in the School of Education in the University. He went to China as a missionary in 1907 and returned last year. He expects to resume his missionary work next summer.

Five Killed, Ten Injured in Explosion.
By United Press.
NEW YORK, March 13.—Five men were killed and ten injured by an explosion of a tank of the Texas Oil Company at noon today.

SHOTGUN AWES COAL THIEVES

H. R. Jackson Captures Two Negroes, Who Get Fines of \$10.75 Each.

Lee Wright and Joseph Jackson, negroes, were each fined \$5 and costs, amounting to \$10.75, in police court Saturday morning when they pleaded guilty to stealing coal from a car near the M. K. & T. depot.

A driver who was unloading the car for H. R. Jackson, a Columbia coal dealer, told him last night that he had seen a man with a sack standing near the car.

Mr. Jackson visited the car and ran a negro away. Then he decided to watch the car for a while with his shotgun. From the depot he saw two men climb on the car and throw off coal. He slipped around the end of the car. The negroes failed to get the signal someone gave them, and when they got down from the car, they faced Mr. Jackson and his shotgun.

A third negro was present, but as he had not been on the car, Mr. Jackson did not feel justified in asking him to accompany the other two to the police station.

THAW DECLARED NOT GUILTY

Free of Conspiracy Charge—Hearing on Release Motion Monday.

By United Press.
NEW YORK, March 13.—Harry K. Thaw was acquitted today of the charge of conspiracy growing out of his escape from the asylum at Matteawan, in which he was confined after slaying Stanford White.

Thaw's mother wept at the verdict. The crowd surged to shake hands with him.

Deputy Prosecutor Cook asked that the charges against the co-conspirators be dismissed and the court discharged them. Thaw was recommended to the Tombs to await the hearing Monday on the motion to release him.

TRANSPORT IS ASHORE

British Troop-Ship, Formerly a Liner, Calls for Help off West Africa.

By United Press.
LONDON, March 13.—The Canadian Pacific liner, Montrose, a 7,000-ton, four-masted steamer, capable of accommodating several hundred passengers, is ashore on the Portuguese bank near Mbura, Senegal, on the West African coast. Her wireless is calling for assistance, according to cable advices today.

The Montrose was employed as a British troop-ship at the outbreak of the war. She is presumed to be loaded with soldiers.

The Montrose is the ship on which Doctor Crippen, the wife-slayer, was captured by wireless.

BOTH WIVES BURNED TO DEATH

Howell County Farmer Is Charged With First Degree Murder.

By United Press.
WEST PLAINS, Mo., March 13.—George Warn, a farmer, of Trask, Howell county, Mo., was held today by the grand jury on a preliminary charge of murder in the first degree as a result of the death of his second wife, in a fire which destroyed their home Friday morning.

His first wife perished in the burning of a previous dwelling on the same site.

Y. W. C. A. EXHIBIT TO 'FRISCO

University Women Are Represented at Fair by Poster and Story.

The University of Missouri will be represented in the Y. W. C. A. contest at the Panama-Pacific Exposition by a story and a poster.

Miss Mary Atkeson has written the story, "Just Girls." Miss Muriel Matlocks prepared the poster, which represents the extension work of the Y. W. C. A. It is in colors. A woman is standing with a baby in her arms. Near her is another on a table. A tiny, tattered girl clings to her dress.

New Y. W. C. A. Committee Members.

The advisory board of the Y. W. C. A. has elected the following new members: Mrs. George M. Reed, chairman; Mrs. F. F. Stephens, vice-chairman; Mrs. Henry Price, secretary, and Mrs. J. G. Babb. The following members were re-elected: Mrs. Walter Williams, Mrs. Eldon R. James and Mrs. F. B. Mumford.

Funeral of Miss Fannie Wade Today.
Funeral services for Miss Fannie Lee Wade will be at the home of her father, 603 North Ninth street, at 9 o'clock this morning. Miss Wade was the daughter of W. W. Wade. She died here Friday. Burial will be at the Red Top Church.

MANY HAVE INTEREST
IN JOURNALISM WEEK

List of Speakers Who Accept Invitations Is Growing Rapidly.

WIDE RANGE CHOSEN

Topics From "Churches" to "Cost Finding"—Writers' Guild Planned.

Church journalism will be represented on the Journalism Week program this year. The Rev. Father D. S. Phelan, editor of the Western Watchman of St. Louis, has accepted an invitation to speak on "Fifty Years of Church Journalism." Father Phelan celebrates his golden anniversary as an editor this year. His paper, the Western Watchman, is one of the best-known Catholic publications of the country.

The editor of the small newspaper, weekly or daily, will find a great many things of interest to him on this year's program. E. K. Whiting, of Owatonna, Minn., an expert on business office systems for small newspapers, will give a series of four lectures: "Cost of Advertising in Country Daily and Weekly Newspapers," "Cost Finding in Printing Offices," "Accounting Methods in Newspaper and Job Printing Offices," and "The Efficient Printing Plant."

Others who, within the last few days, have accepted invitations to speak during Journalism Week are: George B. Dealey, manager of the Dallas and Galveston News, on "The Newspaper, Its Revenue and Its Policies"; John Clyde Oswald, editor of the American Printer of New York, on "The Making of a Newspaper" and an illustrated night lecture on "Benjamin Franklin"; John A. Schleicher, editor of Leslie's Weekly, on "Delusions Affecting the Press and Public"; Fred R. Barkhurst, managing editor of the St. Joseph Gazette, on "What the City Paper Expects of Its Editorial Writers"; W. E. Williams of the Kansas City Journal, on "The Reporter in the City"; Ramsey Benson, magazine writer of Wishart, Mo., formerly a Minneapolis newspaper man, on "Humor in the Newspaper"; A. B. Chapin of the St. Louis Republic, a "picture talk"; Betty Boyd of the Republic, on "City Journalism as a Field for Women"; Robertus Love of the Republic, on "Newspaper Poetry"; B. F. Bradley, general manager of the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, on "The Making of a Metropolitan Journal"; Karl Walter of the Kansas City Star, on "Dramatic Criticism."

A Missouri Writers' Guild will be organized during the week and a subscription dinner is planned for the members. The Commercial Club will give a banquet for the visiting journalists Friday night, May 7. Girl students of the School of Journalism will give teas and receptions for the women. An automobile trip to show the visitors over Columbia will be arranged. The editors will be guests of the athletic department of the University at a baseball game with some out-of-town team.

More than 300 visitors, from all parts of Missouri and other states, are expected this year. Acceptances are being received daily.

C. C. TEACHER ITS SECRETARY

First Meeting of Junior College Declaratory Association.

The first meeting of the Intercollegiate Junior College Declaratory Association was held Friday night at Howard Payne College at Fayette, Mo. Miss Julia MacCarthy, head of the school of expression at Howard Payne, was elected president and Miss Harriet Jean Trappe, head of the school of expression at Christian, was elected secretary-treasurer. The association will meet once a year. Next year it will meet at Christian.

In the contest Miss Doris Schilling of Christian read "The One Kinship" by Mary Robert Rinehardt, and Miss Lois Graham of Howard Payne read "Dolores Defies the King" by Marion Crawford. The result of the contest was a tie.

Wage Campaign Against Hog Cholera.
J. B. Rand, hog cholera demonstrator in the University, is spending a few days in Columbia. Mr. Rand, who has been doing work in Bates county the last month, is planning a campaign in connection with the county agents in Missouri. He will begin work in Buchanan county as soon as the roads are passable.

SCHOOL OF SUFFRAGE
WILL OPEN THURSDAY

New Activity of University Women Meant for Both Pros and Antis.

MEETS EVERY WEEK

"We Owe a Duty to the State," Says Miss Marguerite McGowan.

The University of Missouri soon will have a suffrage school. Every Thursday evening during the next six weeks, an open meeting will be held at which men and women prominent in suffrage work will lead. The first will be at 7:15 o'clock next Thursday evening in the Y. M. C. A. Auditorium. Mrs. L. W. St. Clair-Moss will talk about the argument of woman's place in the home. Dean Herbert J. Davenport also will speak.

Miss Marguerite McGowan, a senior in the School of Journalism, is president of the suffrage school. Following is the executive committee: Miss Alma B. Sasse, chairman; Miss Hildegarde Kneeland, Miss Lucinda Temple and Mrs. Elliot R. Clark.

The school was suggested by Mrs. Walter McNab Miller. "No one can underestimate the value of matters pertaining to the political life of our country," said Mrs. Miller. "It is only when women come to realize how close the action of a town council, of a state legislature or of a national congress concerns her, that she can really call herself a good citizen."

"There have been equal suffrage clubs at the University before," said Miss McGowan, "but they have never had anything definite to work for. We thought if we organized a school, girls would feel there was something to come for, and might learn more about equal suffrage than merely that women want it."

"We want girls in the school who are against equal suffrage as well as those who favor it. We want them to come and tell us their objections. We want to learn to think on our feet. We do not want to train primarily for stump speeches; but an instant answer to an argument helps a cause wonderfully, and one must be accustomed to speaking in public before she can make such answers."

"We are in the University largely at the expense of the state, and we have a duty to the state. This duty is more than the conning of text books. Our duty is to have a thorough knowledge of how we can best serve the interests of the state, and how to go about applying this knowledge. It seems to me that an equal suffrage school is a great stride in that direction."

"One of the arguments against equal suffrage," said Miss Sasse, "is that women are not interested in it. We University women are interested, but we lack organization. Formerly we have merely congregated and numbed the creed. The suffrage school will comprise such University women as seek an intelligent understanding of the problems of our nation, and who wish to prepare themselves for the inevitable franchise."

Missouri is taking the lead in the establishing of suffrage schools. Paris, Bowling Green, Hannibal have organized such schools. The University of Missouri is the first university or college to have one.

HANNIBAL M. U. ALUMNI ELECT

Charles A. Boner Heads Association—Banquet Is Planned.

The Hannibal, Mo., alumni of the University of Missouri elected Charles A. Boner president Friday night. B. E. Bigger was elected vice-president, and Miss Florence Helm, secretary-treasurer.

Plans were made for the annual banquet on Founder's Day, April 19. The association will make an effort to induce the University Glee Club to give a concert at Hannibal April 5.

D. T. Gentry to Talk to H. S. Students.

D. T. Gentry, former superintendent of the Columbia schools, but at present engaged in the insurance business, will deliver a series of lectures to the class in advanced arithmetic at the Columbia High School on "The Mathematics of Life Insurance." He will make his first talk at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

Rockefeller Funeral Not Arranged.

By United Press.
NEW YORK, March 13.—It is expected that the plans for the funeral of Mrs. John D. Rockefeller will be made tonight when her husband and son arrive.

THE WEATHER

For Columbia: Some little cloudiness but generally fair Sunday; not much change in temperature but a little warmer. For Missouri: Fair today; somewhat warmer west and extreme north portions.

Weather Conditions:
The general distribution of atmospheric pressure has changed but little in its form and rate of movement, and the weather continues cool, with alternating clear and cloudy areas. The eastward drift of the high pressure wave is apparently blocked by abnormal distribution far to the east. Precipitation of the past 24 hours was light and local.

Temperatures, as a rule, continue somewhat below the seasonal normal; and there was frost in the southern states, save along the coast.
In Columbia, while there will be cloudiness at times, fair weather will likely prevail during the next 24 hours. The temperature will not change much going a little higher perhaps.

Local Data:
The highest temperature in Columbia yesterday was 41 and the lowest last night was 30; precipitation, .00. A year ago yesterday the highest was 47 and the lowest 21; precipitation .00 inch.

THE CALENDAR

March 15.—Farmer's Auction and Merchant's Bargain Day. Third Monday in each month, Columbia, Mo.
March 16.—Student election of officers of new University Magazine.
March 17.—St. Patrick's Day. Engineer's annual stunt and dance.
March 22.—State Convention Maccabees in Columbia.
March 26.—Graduate students dance, Rothwell Gymnasium, Friday night.
March 27.—Ad Club Circus and Dance at Rothwell Gymnasium, Saturday night.
April 1.—Easter holidays begin. Thursday.
April 7.—Easter holidays end. Wednesday.
April 11.—Y. M. C. A. twenty-fifth anniversary celebration. Dr. Frank Burt of Chicago will be one of the speakers.
April 15.—Miss Schumann Heink concert in University Auditorium. "Pat Ma Alpin" series.
May 1.—High School Day. Athletic meet and literary contest.
May 1.—Columbia High School pupils to present Virgil's "Aeneid" in Columbia Theater.

STEPHENS CHAMPION OF STATE

Defeats Basketball Team from Coffey College—Score 35 to 11.

The Stephens College basketball team defeated the team from Coffey College of Nevada on the local court last night, 35 to 11. This victory gives the championship of the Missouri Junior College League to Stephens.

The Coffey College team will play the Christian College team Monday night.

U.S. LOOKS TO VILLA

State Department Demands That He Punish Slayers of J. B. McManus.

By United Press.
WASHINGTON, March 13.—General Francisco Villa is to have a chance to show that he is the "strong man of Mexico." That is the interpretation placed tonight on an admission by Secretary of State Bryan that he has demanded that Villa punish the slayer of John B. McManus, the American citizen who was murdered in Mexico City.

Zapata, Villa's associate, commands the army whose members murdered the American in cold blood. Zapata, through General Salazar, now commanding the district of which Mexico City is the center, has promised reparation, but the Administration does not know whether this promise can be carried out. It is to Villa that the Administration looks for relief.

PLAN ANNIVERSARY CAMPAIGN

Delegates Report and Appointments Are Made at Y. M. C. A. Meeting.

Thirty of the men who are to lead the Y. M. C. A. anniversary campaign next month met at the Y. M. C. A. Building yesterday morning to hear the reports of the delegates to the John R. Mott meetings at the University of Kansas last week.

A. S. Emig spoke of the outstanding impressions of the meetings; the Rev. A. C. Zumbrennen, of the character of Raymond Robyns, who is to be here during the week in April. H. F. Loomis told of the spiritual results of the meetings and Dean Kirken-slager, of the plans and machinery used by the Kansans.

A. J. Accola, president of the Y. M. C. A., announced the appointment of Richard Troxell as chairman of the banquet committee and of Dean Walter Miller on the faculty committee. Mr. Accola also spoke briefly of the plans to be used in the campaign here.

Dean Walter Williams, who is chairman of the general Anniversary Week arrangements, presided. A short business session of the association followed the meeting.

Millionaire Escapes Prison Bars.

By United Press.
CINCINNATI, March 13.—The Federal Appellate Court today set aside the jail sentence of John H. Patterson, a millionaire Dayton manufacturer of cash registers convicted for violation of the anti-trust law. Patterson won fame through his organized relief for flood sufferers.

Miss Mary Jesse Ill.

Miss Mary Polk Jesse, daughter of Dr. R. H. Jesse and teacher in the first grade of the Grant school, is ill at her home.

ATLANTIC SHIPPING
PREY OF SUBMARINES

First Real Scare Comes When U-29 Gets at Work in Irish Sea.

CZAR'S MEN RETREAT

Przasnysz Bombardment On—Warship Awaits Prinz Eitel Friedrich.

By United Press.
LONDON, March 13.—The U-29, one of Germany's newest undersea monsters, was reported hovering off Liverpool tonight in the path of the trans-Atlantic liners. For the first time since the German submarine warfare began concern was felt in shipping circles.

It was officially announced this afternoon that the U-29 sent the French freighter "Auguste" to the bottom off Star Point Thursday. It is thought that it was the U-29 that chased the liner Great Western in her flight across the Irish Sea Friday night.

Six British steamers, not heretofore reported, have been torpedoed by German submarines in British waters since Thursday morning, according to an official announcement of the Admiralty tonight. They are the ships Adenwen, Florzaau, Headlands, Indian City, Alusian, and Invergye. Two men of the Invergye's crew of 31 were lost. All the other sailors were saved.

By United Press.

BEDLIN, via Amsterdam, March 13.—Von Hindenburg has outwitted the Russians again, forcing their advancing army to turn back in sudden retreat. The Russians who swept toward Augustow were saved only by falling back more than twenty miles. They have lost at least 20,000 in killed, wounded and prisoners.

By United Press.

PETROGRAD, March 13.—The Germans who evacuated Przasnysz only nine days ago are admittedly within striking distance again, having moved their outposts to within four miles of the city. The Germans, dragging their artillery southward, began the contemplated bombardment.

By United Press.

NEWPORT NEWS, March 13.—The British steamship Anglo-Patagonian, from Swansea, reported that five British warships were lying in wait off Cape Charles and Cape Henry to attack the Prince Eitel Friedrich if she attempts to break to the sea.

FORMER RUSSIAN PREMIER DIES

Count Sergius Witte Rose From a Railway Clerkship.

By United Press.
PETROGRAD, March 13.—Count Sergius Witte, former Russian premier and prominent figure in international politics, is dead, it was officially announced today.
Witte gained fame by his diplomatic triumphs over Japan in the Portsmouth negotiations at the close of the war between Japan and Russia. He rose from a railway clerkship.

30 AT PRE-JOURNALIST SMOKER

Will Try to Attend Journalism Week—Reception Planned.

Thirty men attended the pre-journalist smoker in Switzer Hall Friday night. The pre-journalists decided to be represented in the Savitar.

A committee was appointed by H. L. Herbert, the president, to work for the suspension of the rule against cutting classes; so that pre-journalists may attend Journalism Week.

A reception is to be given the junior and senior journalists by the pre-journalists. Lee Heldbrader, R. P. Brandt, Harold Hutchison, Reinhardt Egger and H. E. Guth were appointed to take charge of the affair. The date was not set.

New Magazine Has 400 Back of It.

There are now about 400 members of the Missouri Students' Magazine Association, according to reports made yesterday by the committee on subscriptions, the forty members averaging about ten names apiece. R. A. Schwartz, the chairman, will announce the complete count at the election mass meeting in the University Auditorium Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Hopkins Talks on Voice Training.

Miss Jessie Lynde Hopkins, head of the voice department of Christian College, talked on voice training Wednesday evening at the social hour for the teachers, which is held every two weeks. Miss Elizabeth Potts and Miss Jane Mullenbach have made talks at previous meetings.